

IN THE CLAIMS

1. (Original) A wall patch, comprising:
a substantially planar body;
an adhesive located on a lower surface of the body; and
a ready-to-paint upper surface of the body.
 2. (Currently Amended) A wall patch according to claim 1[,] wherein the body further comprises a perimeter having a feathered edge.
 3. (Currently Amended) A wall patch according to claim 1[,] wherein the ready-to-paint outward surface comprises a texture.
 4. (Currently Amended) A wall patch according to claim 1[,] wherein the body is formed from a tear-resistant material.
 5. (Currently Amended) A wall patch according to claim 1[,] wherein the body is formed of biaxially oriented three-ply polypropylene film.
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18. (Original) A wall patch for repairing a hole or a crack in a wall, comprising:
a substantially planar, flexible body;
an adhesive located on a lower surface of the body; and
a ready-to-paint upper surface located on the body.
 19. (Currently Amended) A wall patch according to claim 18[,] wherein the ready-to-paint upper surface of the body is pre-textured and wherein one or more edges of the body are feathered to allow the body to more readily mate with a textured wall surface.
 20. (Currently Amended) A wall patch according to claim 18[,] wherein the body is formed from a biaxially oriented, three-ply[,] polyethylene film.

21. (New) A wall patch according to claim 1, further comprising:
a center reinforcement.

22. (New) A wall patch according to claim 1 wherein the center reinforcement is a rigid metal or plastic wall patch.

23. (New) A wall patch according to claim 1 wherein the center reinforcement is a smooth, self-adhesive plastic or fibered-paper wall patch.